

REMARKS

Claims 19-24 and 29 are pending in this application. Claims 19 and 22 are independent. No changes are made to the claims in this Request for Continued Examination.

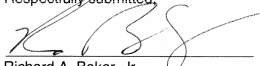
The priority claims are changed in this Request for Continued Examination, changing the designation of the Present Application from a Continuation-in-Part to a simple Continuation. As stated in the September 20, 2006 Response to Request for Information, the only difference between the Present Application and the priority application are changes on the Cover Sheet. No additional information was added to either the drawings or to the specification. As a result, the Present Application should be properly designated as a Continuation. Changes in priority under the July 1998 Patent Rules (37 CFR § 1.78(a)(2)) that were in effect when the Present Application was filed require that the Specification be amended include the relationship between applications. Applicants believe that this Request for Continued Prosecution properly corrects the designation of the relationship between the applications.

CONCLUSION

The application is in condition for allowance. Applicants respectfully request prompt issuance of this application.

The commissioner is authorized to charge deposit account 503650 for any fees associated herein.

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